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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Overseas Travel for the Assistant Deputy Director (Support)

1. This memorandum is for information only.

2. You will recall that at the Deputies' Meeting on 24 June, Colonel White submitted a schedule of his and my plans for Summer vacations and TDY travel, which was subsequently initialed by both yourself and General Cabell. I am now planning to take Annual Leave from 8 August through 4 September, during which time I will travel to [redacted] to visit my daughter and spend several weeks touring [redacted]. I will report to the Chief of Station on arrival, merely to pay my respects and to give him my itinerary while on leave. On 5 September I will return to temporary duty at the [redacted].

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3. I have discussed my plans with Mr. Wisner and [redacted] Chief, FE Division, and they concur that it would be advantageous for me to pay brief visits to [redacted]. At all of these Stations there are important support establishments and at most of them we have entered into or recently completed construction programs. In addition to inspecting any new facilities, I would expect to discuss with administrative personnel at each Station visited their particular financial and other support problems. With the exception of [redacted] I visited all of these Stations in November 1955, so no time need be spent on over-all orientation briefings and routine inspections.

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4. At [redacted] I would plan to devote as much time as possible, security permitting, to consultations with the personnel of [redacted], regarding their problems.

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5. The present schedule for the above trip provides for my return to duty in Washington on or about Monday, 30 September.

6. I am planning to travel [redacted] as arranged by the FE Division and the Central Cover Branch. Transportation is being arranged for the round trip by the Central Processing Branch of the Office of Personnel, and upon my return I will reimburse the Agency for that portion involved in traveling from Washington to [redacted].

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(signed) H. Gates Lloyd
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